

# **BULLDOG BULLETIN**

It's a great day to be a DuPont Bulldog!

**DuPont Elementary** 

#### https://dupont.mnps.org

DES Bulldogs

8:00a.m.-3:00p.m.

DuPont Elementary Old Hickory Bulldogs



Our Fairy Tale Math Night was a huge success and a lot of fun for everyone! It was great seeing students and their families practicing math skills together in a fun way. Thank you to everyone for coming out and supporting this event. We had 197 signed-in attendees!

# **Conferences/Communication**

We enjoyed getting to talk to parents on Conference Day. Please remember that communication is a vital part of your child's success! We are always happy to communicate with you regarding your child's needs. If you need to update your contact information, please let your child's teacher know.

## **Title I Tidbits**

- DuPont ES is a Title I school and receives federal funding based on the number of students with direct certification of services. Our school voted to use the funds schoolwide so that all students will benefit from the funding.
- If you missed our Annual Meeting, the Title I Annual Meeting Presentation link is on our website.
- Communication is a key piece to keeping all stakeholders informed and DES wants to make sure that you always have access to the information you need. The Bulldog Bulletin, school website, Facebook, Twitter, Remind app, teacher newsletters and weekly emails are some of the ways that we communicate. To keep communication working, please be sure DES has your current phone number and email at all times.

## **Students of the Month**

Saoirse A.

PreK Xeayanna O. Serenity W.

Willow R Jayce C. Kindergarten Jazell N. Zuri L.

3rd

2nd

Tegan H. Gabby M. Preston J. 4th Amelia D. Zeke R Joany V.

5th Elisha N. Kaceon M. Avery L





Twanell P.

Alfonso G.

Clara G.

1st

### **Book Fair** SAVE THE DATE!

Get ready! The Scholastic Book Fair is coming our way (YAY!). Choosing their own books empowers kids and inspires them to become Bolder, Prouder, and Stronger Readers. AND as always—every book they buy earns books for our school.

> December 11th-15th **DuPont Elementary Library**





#### SAVE THE DATE!

Come and watch your child sing, shop the Book Fair, and have a treat on us! All performances will begin at 8:30 on the following days:

PreK, K, & 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Monday, Dec. 11 <sup>th</sup>	
1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Tuesday, Dec. 12 <sup>th</sup>	
$4^{th}$ and $5^{th}$	Wednesday, Dec. 13 <sup>th</sup>	



#### **Public Notice / Accessibility Statement**

To request an accommodation please contact your building principal or department head. (Interpreters for the deaf or hard of hearing must be requested forty-eight [48] hours prior to the event.) [Stephanie Hoskins, Principal 847-7305]

#### **Attendance Matters**

#### 3 Signs Your Student is Ready to Return to School:

- Fever free for 24 hour without fever-reducing medicine (fever is greater than 100.4%).
- Have not vomited or had diarrhea for 24 hours since last episode.
- If you are unsure if your child is ready to return, you can call the school at: 615-847-7305.

Please reference your parent portal to keep track of your students' attendance: https://www.mnps.org/students-families

- Hover over "Students and Families" at the top
- Select "Campus Portal"
- Follow steps to sign up

### **Community Schools Coordinator—Ms. McKinnie**

Savannah McKinnie is our Community School Coordinator! She can support with Standard School Attire, school supplies, and can assist with questions about food, housing, and/or community resources! If you have any questions or would like to speak with her, you can call or text at (615) 844-0129 or email at:

smckinnie@mnps.org.

## **BULLDOG RUN**

Thank you to everyone for your part in making our Bulldog Run a huge success! It was a great day of fun, laughter, and fitness! At the end of the day on Monday, our students had raised 4,735. And with the generosity of all of our sponsors, we were able to meet our goal of raising \$10,000 to put towards a new rock-climbing wall for our gym! We are so grateful for such giving hearts!

A HUGE shout-out to all of our sponsors! We could not have done it without their support!

Old Hickory Credit Union Feller Brown Reality & Auction Co. Old Hickory Chamber of Commerce McGavock High School Cheer Squad Johnny Ellis, Attorney at Law Coach Wendy—Gymnastics Coach Jackson's Old Hickory Country Club Village Yoga Old Hickory Metro Parks OH Community Center S & H Irrigation & Landscaping OH Community Center Pickleball Team Health Markets—Gino Morales 5 Agaves Mexican RestaurantWhitts BGranite Stone & Design, Inc.Old HiclMcGavock HS Women's BasketballSonic OFriends of DuPont ElementaryFly GyrlNashville Youth Soccer AssociationJarvis SiArtistry in Motion Dance CenterNo BourChick-fil-A HermitageVollisCauthen & Associates, LLCDuPontBobby Smith ConstructionOld HiclDarren Jernigan, State RepresentativeConradBailey's Wrecker ServiceNashville Predators Youth Hockey Fan Development

Whitts BBQ Old Hickory CrossFit Sonic Old Hickory Fly Gyrl Travel Jarvis Signs No Bounds Moving Vollis DuPont PTO Old Hickory Garage Conrad's Taekwondo

Dates to Remember November				
2nd	A Principal for a Day—from OH Credit Union	22nd-24th	Thanksgiving Break	
5th	Daylight Savings Time Begins	30th	Well Child Hearing and Vision Screenings	
10th	No School/Veterans Day		(PreK, K, 2nd, 4th-with signed consent)	
14th	Progress Reports			
	Dec	ember		
6th	Benchmark Testing Begins (3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> )	18th	Choir Performs for Life Care Center	
11th	Book Fair Begins (11 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup> )	20th	Students Half Day	
	Christmas Coffee 8:30-9:00 (PreK, K, 2 <sup>nd</sup> )		Winter Celebrations	
12th	Christmas Coffee 8:30-9:00 (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> )	21st	Winter Break Begins	
13th	Christmas Coffee 8:30-9:00 (4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> )	Jan. 8th	Students Return	

